

CHAPTER CLXI.

AN ACT TO CHANGE THE TIME OF HOLDING THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That there shall be four terms of the superior courts of the courts of New Hanover in each year, to be held for two weeks, unless the business be sooner disposed of, and that the time for holding the said courts shall be as follows, viz: on the second Monday in February, the fourteenth Monday after the fourth Monday in February, the second Monday in August, and the fourteenth Monday after the fourth Monday in August; *Provided, however*, There shall be no court held for the county of New Hanover on the second Monday in February, anno domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Time of holding court for New Hanover county.

SEC. 2. That all precepts, recognizances and other legal proceedings in civil and criminal cases which have been already issued and had, or which may be hereafter issued and had, returnable to the next term of said court, shall be deemed and held returnable to the next term of said court as now fixed by this act, and all persons who have been recognized or bound, or summoned to appear at the next superior court of said county, are hereby required to appear at the time prescribed by this act.

Returns to next term of court.

SEC. 3. That the secretary of state shall forthwith furnish the sheriff and clerk of the superior court of New Hanover, each with a duly certified copy of this act.

Secretary of State to furnish copies of act to certain officers.

SEC. 4. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Repealing clause.

SEC. 5. That the judge holding said additional terms herein provided for, and the solicitor attending the same, shall be allowed the same additional compensation for their services, to be paid in like manner as they would be if the said terms were special terms.

Additional compensation to Judge and Solicitor.

SEC. 6. That this act shall take effect from its ratification. Ratified the 30th day of March, A. D. 1871.

When act to take effect.